IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA FLORENCE DIVISION

) CRIMINAL NO. 4:99-558-CMC
OPINION and ORDER
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This matter is before the court on Defendant's *pro se* motion for reconsideration. ECF No. 86. Defendant argues that his previously-filed motion for relief under 28 U.S.C.§ 2255 is not a second or successive motion for relief under 28 U.S.C. § 2255 because (he contends) *United States v. Simmons*, 649 F.3d 237 (4th Cir. 2011), is a "new fact" under § 2255(f)(4).

This argument is without merit. Defendant's motion is **denied**.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

s/ Cameron McGowan Currie CAMERON McGOWAN CURRIE UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Columbia, South Carolina September 17, 2012